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SOURCE

1. Below is a list of electronic tubes of all kinds which were produced in Czechoslovakia or imported into Czechoslovakia before 1945 and therefore were on stock there at the end of World War II, and also of tubes which were imported into Czechoslovakia after 1945. The import of tubes, in general, slowed down after 1948 and almost ceased by 1950. 1.

Standard Receiver Electronic Tubes

2. Old receiver electronic tubes:

These tubes were produced in Czechoslovakia or imported there until 1945. They carried a so-called old designation which conformed to the old Philips designation. These tubes were used for older radio receivers of Czechoslovak production which were mainly produced before World War II, in smaller quantities during the War, and not at all after 1945. These tubes were difficult to obtain after 1945. There were three groups of this type of tubes:

a. Standard receiving tubes:

Type	Price per tube 2.
1. A 409	82.10 crowns
2. A 410N	82.10 "
3. A 415	80.50 "
4. A 425	75.20 "
5. A 441N	156.80 "

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	<u>Type</u>	<u>Price per tube</u>	
6.	A 442	165.20	crowns
7.	B 217	133.20	"
8.	B 228	97.30	"
9.	B 240	130.50	"
10.	B 255	140.20	"
11.	B 262	140.20	"
12.	B 406	94.50	"
13.	B 409	107.10	"
14.	B 424	108.40	"
15.	B 424S	122.20	"
16.	B 424K	147.10	"
17.	B 438	94.50	"
18.	B 438S	108.40	"
19.	B 438K	292.10	"
20.	B 442	217.70	"
21.	B 442S	231.60	"
22.	B 443	174.70	"
23.	B 443S	123.70	"
24.	B 543	235.60	"
25.	B 2038	171.90	"
26.	B 2042	238.40	"
27.	B 2043	242.70	"
28.	B 2044	271.60	"
29.	B 2044S	232.80	"
30.	B 2045	238.40	"
31.	B 2046	257.70	"
32.	B 2047	271.60	"
33.	B 2048	249.40	"
34.	B 2049	235.60	"
35.	B 2052T	239.90	"
36.	B 2099	183.00	"
37.	C 243N	144.30	"
38.	C 443	208.00	"
39.	C 443N	180.30	"
40.	C 443NS	194.10	"
41.	E 406N	379.50	"
42.	E 408N	227.40	"
43.	E 409	199.70	"
44.	E 424N	122.20	"
45.	E 438	217.70	"
46.	E 441N	340.90	"
47.	E 442	281.40	"
48.	E 442S	199.70	"
49.	E 443H	192.80	"
50.	E 443N	454.10	"
51.	E 444	224.60	"
52.	E 444S	101.10	"
53.	E 445	199.70	"
54.	E 446	224.60	"
55.	E 447	224.60	"
56.	E 448	224.60	"
57.	E 449	224.60	"
58.	E 452T	209.40	"
59.	E 451	545.50	"
60.	E 453	217.70	"
61.	E 455	235.60	"
62.	E 463	268.80	"
63.	E 499	148.50	"
64.	F 410	784.80	"
65.	F 443N	862.30	"

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b. Standard rectifiers:

66. 505
67. 506
68. 1018
69. 1201
70. 1560
71. 1561
72. 1801
73. 1802
74. 1803
75. 1815
76. 1817
77. 1831
78. 1832

c. Standard regulators of old design:

79. 1904
80. 1910
81. 1911
82. 1915
83. 1926
84. 1927
85. 1928

3. Tubes with supporting base imported into Czechoslovakia up to 1945 or produced in Czechoslovakia up to 1945, and, in a few cases, until 1948. They were used for radio receivers produced in Czechoslovakia from 1940 until the end of 1945.

a. Receivers:

Type	Price per tube
86. AB 1	80.50 crowns
87. AB 2	72.40 "
88. ABC 1	163.50 "
89. AC 2	130.50 "
90. AH 1	203.90 "
91. AK 1	263.30 "
92. AK 2	243.90 "
93. AL 1	192.80 "
94. AL 2	239.90 "
95. AM 1	152.60 "
96. AM 2	177.50 "
97. CB 1	96.00 "
98. CB 2	87.70 "
99. CBC 1	201.10 "
100. CC 2	130.50 "
101. CH 1	219.10 "
102. CK 1	267.50 "
103. CK 3	286.90 "
104. CL 1	230.00 "
105. CL 2	249.40 "
106. D 105	255.50 "
107. D 404	227.40 "
108. EAB 1	102.90 "
109. EB 4	93.20 "
110. EB 11	93.20 "
111. EBF 2	196.90 "
112. EC 2	292.10 "
113. ECH 2	243.90 "

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<u>Type</u>	<u>Price per tube</u>
114. EF 1	483.50 crowns
115. EF 5	163.70 "
116. EF 8	183.00 "
117. EF 13	183.00 "
118. VC 1	152.60 "
119. VL 1	242.70 "
120. VY 1	
121. EH 2	219.10 "
122. EK 2	243.90 "
123. EL 2	223.30 "
124. EK 3	250.90 "
125. EM 1	160.50 "
126. EM 2	187.30 "
127. EZ 2	104.70 "
128. EZ 3	125.20 "
129. AF 2	152.60 "
130. CBL 1	262.00 "
131. CCH 1	267.50 "
132. CF 3	201.10 "
133. CF 7	201.10 "
134. CL 4	239.90 "
135. CY 1	92.90 "
136. CY 2	119.30 "

b. Modulators

137. VY 2

c. So-called "K" tubes.

These tubes were equipped with two-volt heater and were usually used for receivers supplied with storage battery current. These tubes were imported into Czechoslovakia until 1945 and some of them, probably, were also produced in Czechoslovakia up to 1945.

<u>Type</u>	<u>Price per tube</u>
137. KB 2	73.90 crowns
138. KBC 1	183.00 "
139. KC 1	77.90 "
140. KC 3	112.60 "
141. KC 4	133.20 "
142. KCH 1	309.00 "
143. KDD 1	234.30 "
144. KF 1	170.70 "
145. KF 2	170.70 "
146. KF 3	183.00 "
147. KF 4	183.00 "
148. KH 1	202.40 "
149. KK 2	309.00 "
150. KL 1	163.70 "
151. KL 2	210.70 "
152. KL 4	210.70 "
153. KL 5	210.70 "

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d. Current regulators of later design:

These tubes were imported into Czechoslovakia by Philips until 1945. Some of them were also probably produced in Czechoslovakia up to 1945.

154. C 1
155. C 2
156. C 3
157. C 4
158. C 6
159. C 7
160. C 8
161. C 9
162. C 10
163. C 12

Battery Electronic Tubes -- Also Called "D" Tubes

4. These tubes were used for portable receivers. They were imported into Czechoslovakia, mainly from Philips, mostly between 1945 and 1948, and in a few cases after 1948. They were difficult to obtain on the open market until 1948, and after this date it was almost impossible to obtain them. This type of tube was not produced in Czechoslovakia at all. The only battery electronic tube produced in Czechoslovakia was DDC 25, put into trial production in the then Philips AS, Prague IX (Hloubetin), at the end of World War II; however, mass production of this tube was never begun.

Type	Price per tube
DAC 21	180.30 crowns
DAF 11	110.70 "
DBC 21	201.10 "
DC 11	140.20 "
DCH 11	309.00 "
DCH 21	339.40 "
DDD 11	234.30 "
DF 11	183.00 "
DF 21	180.30 "
DF 22	201.10 "
DK 21	339.40 "
DL 11	210.70 "
DL 21	231.60 "
DLL 21	339.40 "
DM 21	201.10 "

All-glass Tubes

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5. UF 21 and UY 21 tubes were imported [] into Czechoslovakia in small quantities before 1945. They were not produced in Czechoslovakia until the end of 1950 and, most probably, not after this date, as there was no need for this type of tube.

Low-power Special Electronic Tubes

6. In general, low-power special electronic tubes were imported from Philips, but the imports were small both in number of types and number of units.

- a. The following tubes were imported into Czechoslovakia between 1945 and 1948 and were also produced in Czechoslovakia [] 50X1

AX 50	247.10 crowns
EL 51	1,600.59 "

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- b. There were from three to five types of electronic tubes of the class of low voltage mercury rectifiers for higher currents. 50X1

They were Philips products imported mainly from 1945 to 1948 and were for industrial low-voltage rectifiers. [redacted] the number of units imported. None were produced in Czechoslovakia. One of the types was 1069K, an industrial anode, and the second was a similar type to the 1069K but was equipped with three anodes (it was for alternate 3-phase current). This tube was for the Tesla Roznov plant for rectifiers produced there.

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- c. Two or three types of phototubes with cesium cathode were imported from Philips between 1945 and 1948. [redacted] the number of units imported. These tubes were for movie projectors. One of them carried the designation 3533. [redacted] not know the designation of the remaining types. 50X1

- d. Picture tubes for electronic oscillograph and possibly (a few) as samples for television development.

About five types of these picture tubes were imported from Philips between 1945 and 1948. [redacted] the number of units. 50X1

Medium-Power Special Electronic Tubes -- High-Voltage Mercury Rectifiers

7. About three types of the Philips 3DG class were imported between 1945 and 1948. They were used for industrial high voltage rectifiers. One of them was DCG 9/20 which was used also by the Tesla Roznov plant in generators for high frequency heating. [redacted] know the designation of the remaining types or the number of units imported. 50X1

Transmitter Tubes

8. a. TA 12/20, a Philips product, was imported until 1948, about four units yearly. The tube was used by the Tesla Roznov plant for high frequency generators. After 1948 the imports of this tube stopped because it was replaced by the CAT 9 type, a Tesla Vrsovice product. [redacted] 50X1

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- b. Some types of the Standard Electric products were imported between 1945 and 1948 [redacted] Prague-Vrsovice, Sar [redacted] in 1948 and the building is presently used by the Tesla Roznov, National Enterprise, Elstroj Plant.) These tubes were used for old transmitters, also of Standard Electric production, in operation in Czechoslovakia, mainly for the Prague I transmitter (Liblice transmitter). 50X1

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1. [redacted] Comment: The information given here, along with the information on Czechoslovak production of electronic tubes, [redacted] gives a complete picture of all the tubes of all kinds used in Czechoslovakia. 50X1

2. [redacted] Comment: The prices given are pre-currency reform prices; the present price equals that price divided by five. 50X1

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